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Mr. Stan Perkes  
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Re: 2010 Mine Plan – Koosharem Clay – Federal Clay Lease # 78187

Dear Mr. Perkes,

#### 2010 General Plan

The 2009 plan was not achieved due to the economy. As a result clay that was mined and stockpiled in 2008 was shipped to the Devils Slide Plant in 2009. As the economy has not improved nor does the outlook in 2010 indicate and improvement, shipments will continue from the stockpile on an as needed basis.

If the market should improve which may require mining clay in 2010 any mining activity will take place within the permit limits as specified in the NOI approved by the Bureau of Land Management approved letter, October 14, 2004, The Utah Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining formal approval dated October 27, 2004

Kaolin will continue to be mined by ripping and stockpiling the overburden or non-usable material in Area A (submitted in 2008) and stockpiling it in such a manner to backfill and reclaim the same area once all clay is extracted. Mining will proceed from the south to the north by ripping and stockpiling the clay (to be hauled to stockpile area in the valley) until extraction is complete. It is anticipated that, due to the hardness of the rhyolite lenses, drilling and blasting may be required to remove those lenses. If needed, this will be in accordance with the drilling and blasting plan submitted in 2008. The area will then be backfilled, topsoiled and then seeded in accordance with the reclamation plan previously submitted.

During the period of mining in Area A, work will continue in Area B (Northwest corner) will be done simultaneously to reduce the clay pit slope. Slope reduction work was initiated in 2008 but not completed. Should there be insufficient clay in Area A to meet the annual requirements, and then clay will be extracted from Area B as outlined on the attached map.

All operations whether or not specifically commented on this plan will be conducted in a manner to comply with the requirements of the NOI approved by the Bureau of Land Management

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approved letter, October 14, 2004, The Utah Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining formal approval dated October 27, 2004, and all other applicable regulations.

Sincerely,



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